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Serial No.: 09/667,732

Group Art Unit: 2185

Date Filed: September 22, 2000

Examiner: Eric Chang

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Sir:

On January 9, 2004, the undersigned received a telephone call from Examiner Eric Chang assigned by the PTO to examination of the above-identified application. Examiner Chang inquired whether Applicant filed a response to the June 24, 2003 Office Action in connection with this application. The undersigned stated that an Amendment was filed along with a Petition For Extension Of Time (one-month) by first class mail (with certificate of mailing) on October 16, 2003. In addition, the undersigned stated that a return postcard was received by the undersigned's firm, bearing a PTO stamp indicating that the October 16, 2003 Amendment and Petition were received by the PTO. Examiner requested the undersigned to transmit by facsimile to facsimile number (703) 746-9001 copies of the October 16, 2003 Amendment, Petition and returned postcard bearing PTO stamp. Attached

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hereto as Exhibit 1 is a photocopy of a confirmation report indicating that copies of the October 16, 2003 Amendment, Petition and returned postcard were transmitted on January 9, 2004 to the facsimile number specified by the Examiner.


On June 4, 2004, the undersigned received another telephone call from Examiner Chang inquiring the status of the application. The undersigned recounted the January 9, 2004 telephone conference with the Examiner and stated that copies of the requested documents (that is, Amendment, Petition and returned postcard) were transmitted by facsimile to the Examiner. Examiner Chang stated that the PTO database does not indicate entry of the documents. The Examiner requested Applicant to forward additional copies of the documents to the PTO via the PTO facsimile number (that is, 703-872-9306).

Accordingly, Applicant attaches hereto as Exhibits 2-4 copies of the following documents, respectively:

- October 16, 2003 Amendment (Exhibit 2);
- Petition For Extension Of Time (Exhibit 3); and
- returned postcard (Exhibit 4).

If additional information is needed, Applicant requests that the Examiner and/or PTO contact the undersigned by telephone at the number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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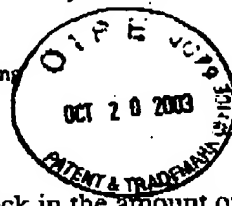
# Exhibit 4

Applicant Naoki TSUMURA  
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Kindly acknowledge receipt of the accompanying

In connection with Serial No. 09/667,732:

1. Amendment;
  2. Petition For Extension of Time, including a check in the amount of \$110.00; and
  3. Certificate of Mailing dated October 16, 2003.
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